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E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: PDIP
SUBJECT: OPENING OF PLO OFFICE IN WASHINGTON

1. UNDER INSTRUCTIONS MFA NORTH AMERICAN AFFAIRS DIRECTOR MOSHE RAVIV TELEPHONED CHARGE THIS MORNING (MAY 2) TO REGISTER "PUZZLEMENT AND DISMAY" OVER OPENING OF PLO OFFICE IN WASHINGTON. SAID ISRAELI EMBASSY DCM BAR-OM HAD BEEN ORDERED TO MAKE VIGOROUS PROTEST TO DEPARTMENT OVER THIS DEVELOPMENT AND TO EXPRESS HOPE THAT WAY CAN BE FOUND TO CLOSE THE OFFICE IN THE NEAR FUTURE. RAVIV THOUGHT IT WOULD "BE A CONSTANT SOURCE OF TROUBLE TO OUR RELATIONSHIP" IF OFFICE WERE PERMITTED TO REMAIN OPEN.

2. DCM BRIEFLY REVIEWED LAW GOVERNING ACTIVITIES OF LOBBYISTS AND SAID SO LONG AS PLO INFORMATION CENTER COMPLIES WITH ALL RELEVANT LAWS AND IS STAFFED BY PEOPLE WHO ENTERED THE US LEGALLY, HE THOUGHT THERE COULD BE NO GROUNDS FOR CLOSING OFFICE. IN ANY CASE, ASSURED RAVIV THAT MFA'S
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OBJECTIONS WOULD BE PROMPTLY FORWARDED TO THE DEPARTMENT.
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